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G. V. G. & N. RAILROAD,

TIME TABLE:

Between BOWIE and GERONIMO.

Taking effect Monday, Sept 28th at 1:00 p. m.

No. 1.			No. 2
2 00..p.m..	Lv... Geronimo ‡	...Ar..	12 30. p.m
2 21..p.m..	Ar... Fort Thomas ‡	Lv.	Ar 12 04p.m
..p.m..	Lv...		Lv 11 23. am
3 00..p.m..	Lv... Mathewsville ‡	...	Lv 11 23. am
..p.m..	Ar... Pima ‡	Lv.	Ar 11 04. am
3 13..p.m..	Lv...		Lv 10 56. am
3 27..p.m..	Lv... Central ‡	...	Lv 10 44. am
3 37..p.m..	Lv... Thatcher ‡	...	Lv 10 44. am
..p.m..	Ar... Safford ‡	...	Lv 10 09. am
3 50..p.m..	Lv...		Ar.
..p.m..	Ar... Solomon ‡	...	Lv. 9 42 am
4 11..p.m..	Lv...		Ar.
4 44..p.m..	Lv... Rail N Ranch ‡	...	Lv. 9 14am
4 59..p.m..	Lv... Big Wind Mill ‡	...	Lv. 9 01. am
5 02..p.m..	Lv... 20 Mile Tank ‡	..	Lv. 8 58. a.m
5 10..p.m..	Lv... Bailey's Wells ‡	..	Lv. 8 52. am
5 35..p.m..	Lv... Summit Spur ‡	..	Lv. 8 30. a.m
6 05..p.m..	Ar... Bowie ‡	...	Lv. 8 00. am

Mountain Time

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 run daily except Sunday, connecting with Southern Pacific R. R. at Bowie for all points east and west, and with Layton's stage line at Fort Thomas for San Carlos, Globe City and Tonto Basin

‡ Stations have no agents.

‡ Telegraph Stations.

The Company reserves the right to vary this chedule as circumstances may require.

WM. GARLAND, President.

Arizona and N. M. Railway,

TIME TABLE:

Going North	Distance from Lordsburg	No. Station	Time table No. 11 Jan. 1. 1895	Distance between stations	Going South
No 2					No. 1
12 00 m		1	†Lds'burg†		10 20a m
1 00 p m	20	2	†Summit †	20	9 20a m
2 00 p m	40	3	Ar Duncan†	20	8 20a m
2 10 p m	....	..	Lv Duncan‡	...	8 10a m
2 35 p m	47	4	* † Sheld'n†	7	7 45a m
2 48 p m	50	5	* † Yorks †	3	7 38a m
3 05 p m	55	6	†Coronado †	5	7 25a m
3 25 p m	59	7	†Guthrie †	4	7 10a m
3 55 p m	64	8	*†Sliding †	5	6 45a m
4 00 p m	66	9	†n Siding †	2	6 40a m
4 30 p m	71	10	Ar Clifton †	5	6 15a m

rains run daily except Sunday

Stop on Signal † Leave ‡ Arrive.

PHYSICIANS.

Dr. C. H. Green,
Physician and Surgeon.
SAFFORD, - - - ARIZONA.
Has located permanently at Safford and offers his professional services to the citizens of the vicinity

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Is prepared to make good false plates from $10.00 up. Teeth positively extracted without pain

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Woodman of the World.
Meets bi-monthly.
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LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Items of Local Interest Gathered by Reporters on their Rounds.

DOINGS IN AND ABOUT TOWN

Breezy Little Notes of General Interets Picked up Here and There.

L. P. FISHER, NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING Agent, 21 Merchants' Exchange Building, San Francisco, is our authorized agent. This paper is kept on file in his office

Dr. W. E. Lindley; rear of post office. Office hours from 8 to 10 a. m. 9-17-tf.

John Besner returned to Safford this week.

Hats, all kinds and prices, at John Blake & Co's.

Business in Safford gets better every day.

Merchandise paid for Wheat at John Blake & Cos. tf

Don't forget the dance in Robinson's hall at Thatcher, to-night.

School supplies and stationery at R. W. Fuller's, Thatcher. 2t.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Castle returned on Monday last from a week's visit to Clifton.

An elegant line of ladies and and gentlemen's straw hats below cost at John Blake & Co's. 6-18.

Court convenes next Monday. So far as is now known it promises to be a very light term.

C. Layton & Co. have just received a large assortment of Ladies capes, latest styles and at lowest prices. 10 8-tf.

Under Sheriff Ben W. Olney went to Aravaipa and Grant this week, summoning jurymen.

Pure Liquors of all kinds for medicine at the Safford Drug Co. 10-15.tf.

Miss Rilla Freeman left for St. David last Saturday evening on a visit to her sister, Mrs. H. J. Dowdle.

Blankets, Quilts & a large line of winter clothing, at John Blake & Co's. 12-4-tf.

Dr. and Mrs. M. E. Brenner left for Globe yesterday. The doctor will practice dentestry there for some time.

Crushed barley always on hand at Z. C. Prina & Co's. mill. 10-1-tf.

Mrs. J. T. McKinney, who has been visiting her parents here for the last mouth, left for her home in Globe last Tuesday.

Alcohol, Wines & Liquors, a fresh supply received at the Safford Drug Co. 10-15 tf.

Sheriff Birchfield was in town Wednesday summoning juryman and witnesses for court next week.

If you are after outing flannel go to Wm. Kirtland, where you can get your choice very reasonable. 10-1-tf.

Miss Belle McFarland gave an elocutionary entertainment in Safford last Saturday evening which was well attended. The entertainment was good.

Cowboy saddles, bridles and spurs. Patronize Clarkson's home make, at John Blake & Co's. 3-27-tf

W. D. Jefferson has just completed the painting of the interior of J. T. Owens dwelling. All the rooms have been finished in light oak, making a splendid appearance, and is a fine piece of work.

For quilts and blankets of the very best quality and at prices that defy competition go to Wm. Kirtland. 10-1-tf.

Chas. Roby has the contract and is now at work building Mr. Z. C. Prina a dwelling house, near the residence of Hugh McMullen. Tuck will probably explain later what this means.

Dr. W. E. Lindley; rear of post office. Office hours from 8 to 10 a. m. 9-17-tf.

The play to be presented in Robinson's hall on thanksgiving night is now being rehearsed. The cast is a strong one, and as the play, "Green Lanes of England" is one of the best, the entertainment promises to be something unusual.

Call at the Valley Mill at Thatcher for all kinds of scroal sawing and lathe work. Every Tuesday devoted to chopping grain and grinding corn meal.
C. FAULKNER. 1m

The brooms made by Curtis Bros., of Thatcher, are of a superior quality to those imported. We have tried them and know. Our merchants should patronize this industry, as they sell them just as cheaply as the imported article. Don't overlook the the fact that home people are your customers.

A DOUBLE WEDDING

Was Celebrated at the Residence of Jas. T. Owens Last Monday.

On Monday last one of the most enjoyable social events in the history of Safford occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. T. Owens. It was the marriage of their two daughters Cora and Ella to Anthon E. Jacobson and Ezra J. Madsen. The wedding was announced for last week, but postponed until 2 o'clock p. m. on Monday last.

Promptly at that hour Cora, on the arm of Mr. Jacobson entered the parlor, where the invited guests were assembled, followed immediately after by Ella, on the arm of Mr. Madsen. Both couples took their position in the center of the room, which had been tastilly arranged for the occasion, decorated with pinks and roses, direct from California, presented by Dr. and Mrs. Lindley. Elder Wm. J. Packer then stepped forward and pronounced in a few appropriate words the ceremony that joined Miss Cora and Mr. Jacobson as man and wife, Miss Ella and Mr. Madsen acting as bridemaid and best man. The two couples then reversed positions and Mr. Packer pronounced the same ceremony, which united Miss Ella and Mr. Madsen for all time to come, Miss Cora and Mr. Jacobson in their turn acting as bridesmaid and best man.

After the marriage ceremony the guests, lead by the newly married party, were conducted through the long hall to the dining room, where the tables groaned under a most sumptous wedding supper, prepared under the personal supervision of Mrs. Owens. After doing justice to the refreshments, the company was conducted back to the parlor, where music and songs were enjoyed. Numerous and costly presents were presented to them.

The brides were dressed exactly alike, in rich, becoming gowns of cream colored silk, trimmed with lace and ribbon of the same material and color, with orange blossoms and bridal veils.

Both were a vision of loveliness, and these young men are fortunate ingetting such girls for wives. Both were almost raised here and are popular young ladies in society.

Mr. Jacobson is well known as an energetic and successful business man, being a member of the firm of P. J. Jacobson & Sons, of Safford.

Mr. Madsen is also well known, having been connected with his father in the livery business, but at present clerking in J. T. Owen's store.

In the evening a dancing party was given to their friends by the grooms, which was crowded to the utmost capacity of the hall, by scores of warm friends wishing them a successful journey through life.

The GUARDIAN joins their numerous friends in hearty congratulations, and wishes them all the happiness this life contains, hoping no cloud will ever cross their paths to mar the brightness of their future lives.

Geo. M. Pullman Dead.

Chicago, Oct. 19—George M. Pullman died suddenly of heart disease this morning in his magnificent brown stone home at the corner of Prarrie avenue and 18th street. He was found dead in bed. He retired last evening at the usual hour which was somewhat early. He was in apparently ordinary good health and there was no indication of his demise or indeed of any premonition even of illness.

Mr. Pullman, who was in his sixty-sixth year, had not been enjoying his usual good health during the summer. The extreme heat of last week generally aggravated his disease, known to the medical profession as agina pectoris.

Releasing Cuban Prisoners.

Havana, Oct. 19—The Spanish general Jiminez Castallanes, accompanied by his son Lieut. Adolph Castellanos, Capt. Pedro Aguilr, his aides-de-camp, twenty-nine other officers and seventy sick soldiers, arrived here to-day from Puerto Principe. Gen. Weyler has ordered the release from the Isle of Pines, the Spanish penal settlement eleven prisoners who were, it is alleged, concerned in the uprising which resulted in the imprisonment of Evangelist Cossio y Cisneros, who recently escaped from Casa Recogidas in this city and who is now in New York. The release of Abram Sobas Juan and Perto Torres, Jestard Gody and seventeen other prisoners has also been ordered by Gen. Weyler.

REMEMBER

J. T. Owens Special Sale day:
Oct. 23, Coffee 8 lbs $100
Towles 10c per pair
Sheeting 20 yds, $100
Salt $1.50 for 100 lbs. 2t.

ALONG THE LINE.

Breezy Items Wafted From the Train as it Passes by.

Mrs. Frank Dysart arrived home yesterday from Los Angeles.

Saturday evening Prest. Garland went to Bowie, he took the east bound train Sunday morning and returned to Geronimo Wednesday.

Saturday afternoon Andy Alexander, U. S. Deputy Marshal left for Florence with a large party of those whom he had subpoenied to attend court. Monday the contingent went from Solomonville.

We are pleased to see Henry Clark up and at work again after his late illness. Last Saturday he spent the day in brightening up the brass buttons on his uniform and Monday he resumed his run on the G. V. G. & N.

Mr. Pat Barry has resigned his position as section boss on the G. V. G. & N. and goes to work on the Southern Pacific. The vacancy is filled by a Mr. Smith who formerly held the same position here.

Monday the 20th, Supt. Ben Jones went over the road to Bowie, the occasion being the company's regular pay-day. Each of the boys signed the pay-roll and went home with dollars enough to last 30 days.

At 5:40 Wednesday morning the first of the Sunset Limited fast trains going Eastward passed Bowie. There were four coaches of beautiful external appearance, El Siglo, El Pastor, El Oro and Castle Crags. The run from Yuma to Bowie had been made in 12 hours with every coach loaded with passengers up to the ceiling.

Tuesday evening C. J. McCormick, Station agent at Pima took a ride on the cars to Bowie. Mac got on the west bound train to speak to a friend who was going to California when the train pulled out in such haste that he was unable to jump off without danger and of course went westward with his friend. Mac came back on the morning train O. K., said the conductor put him off at Pantana. Looks suspicious, that.

T. D. Heyl, agent at Geronimo, passed through Safford last Tuesday on his way to Florence, as on that day U. S. deputy marshal, Compton arrived in Geronimo from Florence with a subpoena for Mr. Heyl to appear there as a witness. Mr. Heyl did not know in what case he was to testify, but thought it must be in connection with the late stage robbery in which one thousand bright silver dollars came up missing.

Last Saturday Dr. May, an official of the S. P. Co., went over the road to Geronimo as a guest of Prest. Garland. Dr. May is studying the resources of the different localities through which lines of railroad pass that are feeders to the S. P. line. When asked what he thought of the Gila Valley, he said: "While I am somewhat hard of hearing, I have abundant vision. I see before me a beautiful valley which in regard to extent and richness is an utter surprise to me." Speaking of a railroad to Globe he said there is no doubt that it will be but a matter of a short time when the Mountain City will be able to ship by rail. The Doctor said he would be able to make to his company a splendid report of his observation of the day in our valley.

Our esteemed contemporary Mr. Herbert Brown, editor of the Daily *Citizen* of Tucson, was a passenger on the out going train Wednesday on his way home from Globe. Speaking of Globe he dipped into the subject exhaustively, of its people, distinguishable for their enterprise, intelligence and largeheartedness; and of the wonderful and inexhaustible resources of the mines, he says the half has not been told. The one great annoyance there now is their not having a railroad. And Mr. Brown says it is his candid and deliberate opinion that, simultaneous with the advent of the railroad, the present quietude of the town will be disturbed by a greater boom than was ever experienced by any town within the bounds of Arizona. We think he is right, but, why the road isn't built we have not the slightest conjecture and no license to affirm an opinion.

Buckey's Great Scheme.

Buckey O'Neill is anxious to take a colony of Salvation Army lasses to raise. He is negotiating with Ballington Booth of the Salvation Army to secure a colony of Salvationists under the Buckeye Canal.

Should the deal be consummated 10,000 acres will be put under cultivation forthwith and an option on 137,000 acres more secured. The soil is very fertile and a considerable number of settlers are already located there.—Williams *News*.

HUGHES HAS FALLEN.

A Prominent Arizonan a Fugitive From Justice.

Fred G. Hughes, clerk of the board of supervisors of Pima county and president of the society of Arizona Pioneers, is a fugitive from justice. Two warrants for his arrest, one charging him with forgery and the other with the embezzlement of $2,400 from the society of the pioneers, were issued and placed in the hands of the officers. Hughes left Tucson last Wednesday night, accompanied by his wife, for his ranch in the mountains. When the officers arrived there they learned that he had left his ranch at daylight for Mexico. All the officers are scouring the country, but he is believed to be in Sonora.

The charge of embezzlement is based upon the fact that he obtained the money, and the charge of forgery, upon the circumstance that he forged the names of W. C. Davis and Sabino Otero, upon the territorial warrants drawn against the Pioneers' fund. Hughes sold one of the warrants for $1,000 to Dick Dawson, proprietor of the Fashion saloon games, the night he left.

The issuance of the warrants for his arrest, and his flight are not really denouements of the attempt to burn the court house. He had previously been suspected of crookedness in connection with the funds of the Pioneers and of irregularities in connection with the board of supervisors. His resignation was demanded by the board the day he left, but he refused to tender it.

It is suspected that he was the author of the attempt to burn the court house for the purpose of covering official peculations, of which he had been suspected, for some time. An expert has been employed to go over the records of the board and it is said a special grand jury will be ordered to investigate the origin of the court house fire.

A later dispatch states that Fred Hughes took the train at Nogales and left for the interior of Mexico, and still later the news came that he had been arrested in Mexico and would be returned to the United States.

The entertainment and social which was to be given Friday evening of this week in the Methodist Church has been postponed until Tuesday evening next week. This entertainment is to secure money to put a fence around the Methodist church in order that trees and grass can be put in the yard and beautify the place. This will be a credit to Safford and every one is asked to be present and assist in this good movement. Besides the entertainment refreshments will be served and so cheap that no one can complain.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicine for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is plesant to take and never fails to effect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by all dealers in medicine.*

In our professional column will be found the card of Dr. C. H. Green. Dr. Green has decided to locate in Safford permantly and those desiring his services will be able to obtain them at any time. The doctor is a first class physician in every particular, and better still he will no doubt bring his family here, where they will make their future home.

Judge Dameron, of Phœnix, against whom complaint was made late Saturday afternoon as being insane is quite ill at the family residence in the Capitol Addition. No further proceedings will be had under the charge of insanity until the gentleman recovers from his illness when it is hoped all symptoms of insanity will have passed away.—*Herald.*

Harry Solomon acted as stage manager at the elocutionary entertainment last Saturday night. Harry as a stage manager is all right. The boys at Solomonville say that Harry has made life almost a burden up there for the ast month, practicing his lines.

Chas. Freeman and Jack Keasley returned from Geronimo this week, where they had been reparing and remodeling the passenger coach for the railroad. The car will be in first class condition when put on the road again.

The telegraph office at Gila Bend was struck by lightening on Wednesday night, shattering the windows and burning the instruments out, says the Yavapai county *Reporter*.

THE SOLDIERS AT PIMA—"SHAM BATTLE FOUGHT."

Colonel E. V. Sumner, 7th Cavalry and Staff Tendered a Reception by the Citizens.

All day Wednesday the city of Pima was in a great state of excitement, it being understood that the troops of Ft. Grant would pass through and everybody was rustling around getting ready in some way or other to receive with due respect the soldiers that so gallantly trailed and captured the Indians who, in December, 1895, killed Mr. Merrill and daughter, near Ash Springs. Very few people were aware that these same Indians had been killed as reports at the time were so unreliable, but it has been learned since that by troops under Col. E. V. Sumner, five of the Indians were killed, one squaw and three children captured. Part of the clothing recovered, that belonged to the murdered girl and returned to her mother in Pima, in appreciation of which the Mayor and citizens gave a reception to the commanding officer and staff and the commissioned officers of the command.

About 2 o'clock in the afternoon Capt. W. J. Nickelson with troop "C" of the 7th cavalry pitched camp on the public square to defend the city, at 5 o'clock the attacking forces, under Capt. G. K. McGunnegle and D. D. Mitchell of infantry, and Lieut. S. R. H. Tompkins of the cavalry, were seen on the out skirts of the city and preparations were made by Capt. Nicholson for defence.

It was not long until the roar of cannon and crack of the muskets were distinctly heard in the suberbs, soon the noise of battle drew distinctly nearer and nearer. Companies of cavalry galloping by; the surging mass of humanity reeled back by the excitement, at once there was a clash, the troops met, volley after volley was discharged but at last after a brave defense the city surrendered, with the loss of one cannon and mule under Lieut. C. Day.

In the evening the commanding officers and staff were tendered a reception by the citizens at the residence of Mayor W. T. Webb. After a splendid repast toasts were offered to the health of our country. The rest of the evening was spent in songs etc., among the songs the one most appropriate to the occasion was composed and sung by P. H. McBride, as follows:

REVERENCE FOR THE BRAVE

Wire songs for our friends for the young and the old;
Wire songs for the tender, the fearless and bold,
Wire songs for the brave, for the honest and true,
And songs for our heroes, the brave boys in blue.

Chorus:

Yes, friends, we remember our dear ones who fell
By murderous Apaches, with blood-curdling yell;
Their loss is avenged by our heros so true,
Brave soldiers who fought under the Red, White and Blue.

Our memories still fresh for our dear ones laid low;
And often in sorrow the tear drops will flow
To think they were murdered, and none near to help,
By Indians, who'd venture their lives for a scalp.

We hale Colonel Sumner, so bold, in command
And Captain McCormick, who by him did stand
Young Averyl and Rice, brave lieutenants, too men
Who shot down the Indians who murdered our friends.

If such men as these could take the command
Of Indian affairs, throughout our fair land,
The war whoop would cease and the tomahawk rest,
And the bones of bad Indians would crumble to dust.

We wish you success as you march through the land;
That you never may fall by the dreaded Apache's band;
May your swords grow more bright,
And your arms grow more strong,
Till every bad Apache Indian has sung his death song.

RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas: On the 3rd, day of Dec. 1895, two of our esteemed fellow citizens, Mr. Merrill and daughter, were most foully murdered by Apache renegades near what is known as Ash Springs, in Graham county; and

Whereas: As the commandant of Ft. Grant, Colonel Sumner, took prompt measures looking to the punishment of the purpetrators of the dastardly crime, ordering Capt. McCormick and Lieut. Rice and Averyl and commands in immediate persuit; and

Whereas: Lieuts. Rice and Averyl's commands did successfully persue, and as we are informed, capture two camps, kill five Indians, and take one squaw and three children prisoners, also recovering a portion of the clothing belonging to the murdered girl and returning them to her mother.

Therefore be it resolved: That we the municipal authorities of the village of Pima, by the expressed wish of her citizens, that we would move in the matter, wish to voice the strong feelings of gratitude and admiration felt by our people for the whole effort to punish the Apache murderers of our townspeople, that was set on foot by by Colonel Sumner, immediately after the consumation of the foul deed and was as gallantly executed by Lieuts. Rice and Averyl and their brave boys.

We fully realize the many difficulties attendant upon an expedition into the heart of the Sierrie Madras, and the hardships that must be endured by those who undertake it, and when it spite of the obstacles, almost insurmountable, signal success is so gallantly achieved the heroes who execute it, merit the highest praise from those who are most interested in its consumation.

Therefore, We, the Mayor and Village Council in behalf of the people of Pima, do sincerely thank Colonel Sumner, Lieuts. Rice and Averyl and commands, and all who in anywise participated, or assisted in the successful issue of the campaign. And in apology for our seeming neglect in not having earlier recognized the gallant achievement, we have to state that through an oversight or neglect, that, we are persuaded was not intentional, we were not, till the present week, made acquainted with the foregoing facts.

W. T. WEBB, Mayor.

Council { DR. L. E. WIGHTMAN, I. FOLLETT, J. A. BURKS, G. W. WILLIAMS.

BORN.

BEEBE:—On the 14th, inst., to the wife of Wm. N. Beebe, of this place, a son.

CAMPBELL:—On Oct. 17th, 1897, to the wife of John Campbell, a son.

KIMBALL:—On Oct. 18th, 1897, to the wife of C. Kimball, of Thatcher, a daughter.

DIED.

ELLIOTT:—On Oct. 16th, 1867, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orson Elliott, of Thatcher.

JONSON:—On Oct. 19th, 1897, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Jonson, of Thatcher.

Work to be Resumed.

E. J. Beard, chief engineer of the surveying party which surveyed a route for the Arizona Pacific railroad from Crawford, on the Denver & Silver City road, to Geronimo, Arizona, and who recently went to Chicago to submit the maps and estimates to the stockholders in that enterprise, telegraphed to W. W. Wood, assistant engineer at Solomonville, last week, to be in readiness to resume work within ten days. The route as projected runs to Morenci and Duncan, down the Gila to Geronimo, and thence to Phœnix, with a branch to Globe.—*Silver Belt.*

A Killing.

There was a killing over at Silver City on Thursday night of last week. A Mexican had made arrangements to elope with another man's wife, and at the last moment she concluded she would not go. He shot and killed her, shot her daughter, a twelve year old girl, and used his knife freely on her husband, the child and the man may live. The murderer made his escape in the darkness.—*Liberal.*

Saw Indians.

As Mr. and Mrs. Harry Castle were on their way to Clifton last week they were warned by some cattle men on the river below Sheldon that they had seen five Indians near the road in the hills, just ahead, and that the Indians, upon seeing the cowmen, ran. Mr. and Mrs. Castle proceeded on their way but were not molested.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

One sorrel horse branded FS on right thigh, SJ on right shoulder, also has a brand on left thigh very dim.

Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses.
W. H. CHILDRESS,
Ft. Thomas, A. T.

WOOD WANTED.

Until Nov. 15th, those desiring to pay wood on subscription to the GUARDIAN may do so.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO } ss
LUCAS COUNTY,

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRFD DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th, day of December, A. D. 1886.

{ SEAL } A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1897

THE unsuccessful man is always able to boast a long list of vacated opportunities.

THE government might armorplate Postmaster Loftin and send him back to Hogansville.

THERE is no limit to the work of discouraging people who want to be good. A Chicago man declares that heaven is near that town.

SINCE the nominations by Tammany, Hon. Bourke Cockran finds himself with a large quantity of unused advice on his hands.

IF ignorance is bliss why do we never see a more self-satisfied fellow than the man who knows it all?

WHILE the Union is not actually making love to Cuba, it wouldn't be surprising if one of these days Cuba got attached to this country.

IF the Republican administration puts wheat up to one dollor who puts cotton down to 5 cents? "what fools these mortals be."

IN this issue will be found the program for the coming teacher's institute published in full, subject to slight changes.

THE husband of the New York woman who recently made a triple century on her wheel has applied for a divorce. No other grounds are specified.

A NEW YORK school teacher has been dismissed for playing cards with her pupils. However, there was no evidence to show that she dealt from the bottom of the deck.

William D. Bynum's goldocracy show is gyrating around in Kentucky. The box office that supports this menagerie, however, is located in Wall Street, New York.

THERE is no longer an excuse for a New York man being out of employment. He can get a job of running for Mayor simply by organizion a bolt.

THOSE civil service officials who hold on to their places in spite of efforts to remove them say they've business in the offices and won't leave till they get threw.

WHEN girl-weavers attack foreigners of their own sex it looks as mills as synonymous with fights wasn't to be confined to the prize ring.

SATISFACTION is expressed on all hands at the appointment of Lieut. S. Rice as Indian agent at San Carlos, to succeed Capt. A. Meyer who has been transferred to an army post it Arkansas. Lieut. Rice is well known throughout Arizona, and will undoubtedly fill the position to which he has been appointed with credit.

AS THE GUARDIAN'S circulation increases, so does its advertising patronage in proportion. The business men realize that this paper reaches and is read by a large majority of the people of the county, consequently the money spent in advertising brings them handsome returns.

Gov. McCord has submitted his annual report of the Territory to the authorities. It contains a strong plea for statehood. He urges the general government's aid in the storage of water in the Territory, arguing in support of it that if the waters running to waste were properly cared for the government would soon receive its outlay back with heavy interest in the sale of now worthless lands, and that Arizona would be able to furnish homes to millions of people.

HON. AMOS J. CUMMINGS, member of congress, chairman of the Tammany democratic convention, in New York, on the 30th ult., said: "This is an age in which associated wealth is marshaled, organized and equipped for municipal, state and national control. Gradually and stealthily it has taken possession of the citadel, seized upon all its approaches, and now raises its brazen front to terrify all who venture to question its supremacy. Want, if it does not obey its mandates, is threatened with greater want. Destitution, humilation and finally death follow in its wake. Millions in a day made by a government pawnbroker is hailed as a great achievement, while honest wages are deplored as an intolerable burden upon the savings of the pawnbroker."

A CERTAIN ex-member of the "Thieving Thirteenth" Arizona Legislature, a former resident of an adjoining county but now a resident of Safford, has become seriously afflicted with the itch of office. The light will soon be turned upon the rotton record of the past, and this individual, cursed with an alarm of constant fear like a blind snake in dog days will soon have an opportunity to answer some questions of serious importance to Grahan county and her tax-payers, so we are told. This same "Thieving Thirteenth" passed a law disfranchising every member of the Mormon church in the Territory of Arizona. Other vicious acts will be mentioned later.

THE *Star* says: The press of the country, in fact of the civilized world, is rightly commending the courage, the heroism and the chivalry of the New York *Journal* and its representatives, in the rescue of Evangelina Cisneros from from a Spanish Cuban prison. It was a great feat and crowns the *Journal* as the most gallant and bravest knight of journalism. Yes, the press is thrice mightier than the sword when the knights of the pen rescue innocent maidens from military prisons, guarded by sword and musket. All hail to the New York *Journal* and it's courageous achievement.

THE people of Pima county seem to be thoroughly aroused over the attempt to burn the court house at Tucson. It seems to be public opinion that whoever started the fire meant to distroy the records of the county. This conviction has aroused the Board of Supervisors to action, and all the accounts of the county for probably five years past will be experted, wihch may give a clue as to the origin of the fire.

"WHEN the little girl is naughty," says Miss Jessie M. Fowler, giving a mother directions for curing her small daughter's bad temper, "put on her best gown, and you will soon see that the she cannot withstand its influence." This might be a good remedy for "grown-ups," suggests an exchange. It is said that a man is never so much of a gentleman as when he is wearing an evening suit.

THE Prescott *Courier* suggests that the Arizona home makers combine for self protection, and form a league to oppose the combine that holds the offices, pays no taxes and steadily, year after year runs the Territory more and more in debt.

Unlawful Combinations.

The St. Johns *Herald* says: Live stock dealers of the Territory will be interested in the following important information Bradstreet's, and will appricate the effort of Attorney-General McKenna to protect the live stock producers. The article referred to is as follows:

"Upon the heels of the decision rendered by Judge Foster in the United States Court at Topeka, Kansas, declaring the Live Stock Exchange an unlawful combination, comes the announcement that Attorney-General McKenna has caused proceedings to be instituted in the federal court at Omaha, Nebraska, to prepetually enjoin the Live Stock Exchange of that city from doing business. Similar suits, it is said will be begun against the live stock exchanges in all parts of country. The announcement comes in the nature of a surprise, the movement having been conducted with great secrecy.

"The ground upon which the proceedings have been begun is that the exchanges are organizations whose action is violative of the provisions of the Sherman anti-trust law. Evidently the sweeping scope of that measure is only just beginning to be understood."

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PROGRAM

Of Teachers Institute of Graham County to be Held at Pima, Nov. 15, 16, and 17.

FIRST DAY, MORNING SESSION.

Singing by Pima Choir.
Prayer by Bishop John Taylor.
Election of Secretary.
Election of honorary members.
Address of welcome, Hon. J. K. Rogers.
Answer to address of welcome, Wiley E. Jones.
Appointment of committees.
Remarks by Superintendent of Schools.
Signing Institute Roll.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Institute, its True Object, John Nash, Pima.
A written composition, subject, Child Study, Mary Tuttle, Safford.
My Method of Teaching Orthography, class exercise, Mary S. Smith, Matthewsville.
A lesson conducted on primary grammar, Jennie Kelly, Metcalf.
A lesson conducted in 3rd reader class, Sarah Allred, Thatcher.
A lesson conducted in primary arithmetic, Josie Cluff, Central.

EVENING SESSION.

Hygene and Physiology, lecture, Dr. W. E. Lindley, Safford.
Recitation, Miss Josie Cluff, Central.
Improvements of our school system in Graham County Mode and Means, Rev. F. W. Downs, Safford.
Song, P. H. McBride, Pima.

SECOND DAY, MORNING SESSION.

Singing by Pima Choir.
Prayer by Rev. Charles Matthews.
Fundamental Rules of Arithmetic, illustrated with class, Miss Harriet Gillespie, Morenci.
Decimals and Percentage, illustrated with class, J. A. Woods, Thatcher.
Grammar; class exercise; How to Teach it, R. S. Patterson, Safford.
Best method of teaching primary schools, Mrs. H. M. Belknap, Solomonville.
Music, remarks and recitations, in order, subject to regulations of chairman and committees.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

What studies and how many lessons should be taught daily in the public schools under present provisions of law, H. Warren, Solomonville.
Lesson in Geography, illustrated with class, W. Asay, Bryce.
How to establish and maintain school libraries; the prroper books to encourage pupils to read, Alma G. Foster, Duncan.
Method of teaching U. S. history, Miss Brown, Clifton.
Songs, recitations and amusements in order.

EVENING SEESSION.

School statistics and advancement of education, Geo. H. Kelly, Solomonville.
Effect of alcohol on the human system, Dr. L. E. Wightman, Pima,
Dialogues, recitations and songs, furnished by Pima committee.

THIRD DAY MORNING SESSION.

Singing, Pima Choir.
Prayer, Rev. R. A. Allred, Thatcher.
How to teach Square and Cube Root, using black board and class, Prof. Jones, Layton.
The best method of teaching reading, illustrated with class, Miss Ruth Guernsey, Thomas.
Object teaching, primary class, Mrs. Nora Clark, Aravaipa.
How to conduct an ungraded school, Fred Webb, Eden.
Balance of time filled in by committee.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Criticism of present method of making out monthly and term reports, the object explained, Thos. Cunningham, Lamb district.
In what respect should our school laws be changed to better the condition of the schools in Graham county, J. M. McCollum, Safford.
Remarks on proceedings of Institute in general, by S. J. Sims and Hyrum Weech, Pima.
Report of committees.
Report of County School Superintendent.
All teachers are expected to be prepared to discuss any of the subjects of this program at any time during the session of the institute.

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SUIT FOR BACK-SALARIES.

Action in Pima County Brought to Sustain the Re-Instatement Salary Law.

An action is now pending before the district court at Tucson, against Pima county for the payment of county officer's salaries under the Re-Instatement Bill passed by the last legislature. The following is the law in full:

"To Reinstate Salaries of County Officials for the years 1895, and 1896, and providing for the payment thereof by Their Respective Counties Except in Counties That Have Been Sub-divided or organized Since January 1, 1895.

Whereas, at the general election of county officers in the year 1894, all county officers were elected to hold their respective offices for and during the years 1895 and 1896, and under the then existing laws and salaries, and,

Whereas the Territorial Legislature in March, 1895, passed an Act classifying the counties of the Territory and fixing the compensation of county officers therein, to take effect January 1, 1897, and,

Whereas, in the enrolling and engrossing of said Act for the signature of the Governor, the important portion "To take effect January 1, 1897," was ommitted; and,

Whereas, by said omission of "To take effect January 1, 1897," the law took effect at the date of approval by the Governor. being on and after March 21, 1895, causing thereby serious loss of compensation and salary to many county officers, contrary to said Act as actually passed by said Legislature, therefore,

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Arizona.

SECTION 1. That the County Board of Supervisors, upon demand in writing of any one interested, are hereby authorized and directad, excepting in counties that have been sub-divided or organized since January 1, 1892, to audit the salary accounts of any official who may have held office in their respective counties for the years 1895 and 1896, and in auditing any and all of said accounts shall allow to each and every one of said officials the amounts that each should have received had said Act, approved March 21, 1895, taken effect January 1, 1897, and shall issue warrants to each of said county officials, or their legal representatives, for such amounts as shall be found as remaining unpaid.

SEC. 2. The county Treasurers are hereby authorized and directed to pay the warrants so issued by their respective Boards of Supervisors and provided for in Section 1 of this act, out of the Salary Fund, of their respective counties, or if there are no funds in the Salary Fund, then the same shall be paidout of the General Fund of their respective counties.

SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect from and after its passage."

The district attorney of Pima county last April rendered an opinion upholding the law for the payment of these back salaries while Distriet Attorney Jones filed an opinion, with our county Board, against the law.

Both Graham and Pima counties through their Boards refused to pay the salaries. Ex-Treasurer Johnson, of Tucson, has brought an action against Pima county under the law for the back salary, and, on account of the position taken by District Attorney Sayer, white, that county has employed Attorney Franklin to resist payment. A brief and argument by Wiley E. Jones, in opposition to the law and the back salary has been forwarded to Mr. Franklin at the request of that gentleman.

Let us hope that the law may be defeated by all means.

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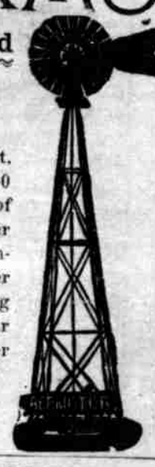

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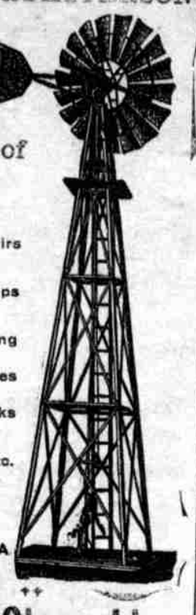

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Wheat, barley and oats grow prolificly, the former containing a very large amount of nutrition. Yellow dent, white gourd and other large varieties of corn yield productively, vegetables are large and solid and come to maturity two months earlier than in the eastern and middle states.

The valley and hill lands are adapted to all of the products of the temperal zone, and many of the fruits of the semi-tropical countries. The apples equal in size and flavor the prize winners of the eastern states. The seedling fruits are unexcelled in size and general excellence. Apricots and apples both grow with a surprising rapidity. The peaches in appearance and taste are identical with those which come from the famous orchards of New Jersey.

Canagrie grows wild, some of the tubers being as large as good sized potatoes. Tests now show that canagrie root, which flourishes near Thomas, in the lower portion of the valley, contains a larger per cent of tannic acid than any ever sent to the extract works from either Arizona or New Mexico.

Farming lands can be purchased at from $50 to $100 per acre, including improvements and water rights.

Uncultivated land without water right is free to any settler under the United States homestead law. This class of farms will eventually become valuable when the canal facilities have been increased.

The cost of maintaining the canals which are owned by the farmers varies from 30 cts. to $1.00 per acre per year.

The following are the market values of the products of the soil at the ranch, there being ready sale for everything raised in the valley.

Wheat	$1.35 per cental.
Barley	1.25 " "
Corn	1.00 " "
Hay	6.00 to $8 per ton.
Hogs	4 cts per pound
Apples	5 " " "
Potatoes	3 " " "
Cattle from	$11 to $18 delivered in Safford.
Milk cows	$25.00 to $30.00

There is at present about 118 miles of irrigating canals and main ditches, not including the latteral ditches which will make the total several times this amount. This gives ample water to assure crops for about 45,000 acres. When the Enterprise canal is finished it will water several thousand acres of rich table and bottom land. It has been estimated that a quarter of million acres of additional land could be irrigated if storage dams were built. This could be done in several places, notably at the narrows about 18 miles from Safford where a box canyon exists through which the river passes. It is from this point the Enterprise company are building their canal.

Graham county covers an area of 7,000 square miles.

The Gila valley is 35 miles from the narrows to the edge of the reservation, with an average width of bottom lands of two miles, the distance between the foot hills being six miles. The valley is flanked on the north by the Gila mountains and on the south by the Graham mountains, Mount Graham being the highest peak, with an altitude of ten thousand feet above sea level.

Although but little prospecting has been done in either the Gila or Graham mountains, the few properties which have been developed show that the ore body is practically inexhaustable; while copper predominates, there is both gold and silver in paying quantities It is a virgin field for both the minor and captattist and one which promises grand results.

The two principal mining companies are the Detroit, at Morenci, and the Arizona Copper Company, at Clifton. The former employes 300 men and the latter 600.

The output of the Arizona comp, any is 20 tons of copper per day and of the Detroit about 10 tons per day. These two companies alone pay out for labor about $600,000 annually.

Experts are at present prospecting near Saffoad for coal.

There are twenty-five schools, and one Academy in Graham county. The examination for teachers is very strict; only those who are thoroughly qualified being able to procure certificates. 12 churches of different denominations look after the spiritual welfare of the community. Society is as refined here as in any of the old eastern cities.

PROCLAMATION OF REWARD.

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

To all to whom these presents shall come:

WHEREAS official information has been received by me from the District attorney of the County of Graham, Territory of Arizona, that Augustine Chacon, who was convicted of murder and sentenced to be executed at the May term of the District Court, 1896, at Solomonville in the County of Graham, the judgement of said court afterward being affirmed by the Supreme Court of the Territory, and the said Chacon being re-sentenced to be executed on the 18th day of June, 1897.

AND WHEREAS I am officially informed that said Augustine Chacon did, on the 9th day of June, 1897, escape from the jail at Solomonville in the said county of Graham.

NOW THEREFORE I, B. J. Franklin, Governor of the Territoy of Arizona, by virtue of the power and authority in me vested, do hereby offer FIVE HUNDRED ($500) DOLLARS REWARD for the apprehension of said fugitive from justice and his detention in any jail in the United States.

IN TESTIMONY THEREOF, I have this twelfth day of June set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be affixed. Done at Phœnix, the Capitol, this twelfth day of June, A. D. 1897.

SEAL

By the Governor,

B. J. FRANKLIN.

CHAS. M. BRUCE,

Secretary of the Territory.

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The largest and best line of boots and shoes at John Blake & Cos. They are selling many lines at nearly cost to make room for new stock. 9-11-tf

BLACKSMITHING.

Sheriff Marshal has one of the best equipped blacksmith shops in Graham county, with the best and quickest blacksmith employed in the Territory. All iron, steel and wood work guarnteed. Once give this shop a trial and you will go no where else. 9-10-tf.

THE TALE OF YOM KIPPUR.

Origin and Observance of the Hebraic Day of Atonement.

This is the tale of Yom Kippur, as published in the Philadelphia *Times*.

"Va-eneessem es Nafshosechem—" "And ye shall purge your souls and confess your sins before the King of all Kings, Jehova!"

These few words, pregnant with a concentration of hope and fear to the believer, contain the quintessence of the meaning of the day of atonement.

To the orthodox Jew it is the day of days, the day, for during these twenty-four hours which he spends in prayers, exhortations, lamentations and confessions Jehova dictates his fate for the year to come.

It was anything but an easy task for Moses and Aaron, his brother, to educate the barbarian horde they had liberated from the Egyptian yoke up to an understanding of the value of the inner life, of a soul, of religion, in short, of anything like civilization.

There was nothing left for Moses but to let the elder generation of liberated slaves die out in the hope to find more congenial spirits, a more fruitful soil and willing listeners among the growing generation. Hence the forty years of probation, hence the long wandering in a desert which they might have comfortably traversed in a few days.

MAN HAS A SOUL.

From such beginnings it was a long road to lead his people mentally up to the culmination point—the preparation for an after life. But he kept on undaunted, never swerving from the goal he had set himself, to transform his barbarian people into a law-abiding, God-fearing, civilized nation. Thus, from the ten commandments period to the climate—the Rosh Hashana and the Yom Kippur—we can trace step by step the moral, the elevating, the laborious work of this indefatigable civilizator, trying to have his doctrines take a firm root; that man created in the image of God has a soul which is responsible to Jehova for all deeds of omission and commission during this life.

And this led to the establishment of the Day of atonement.

Knowing the class of men he had to deal with Moses could not help taking the most vigorous, awe-inspiring and fear-creating measures. Would they else have minded his advice? Indeed not. Hence the terrible infunction in almost every law that an unforgiving Jehova would deal out instant death to those who disobeyed his commands.

ORIGIAN OF THE CONFESSION OF SIN.

Mental fear of that unseen Entity and of its supernatural doings which a primitive mind could not grasp, were Moses' most powerful allies for the observance of that most awe-inspiring of all days of contrition, the Yom Kippur.

But he had to give them something tangiable, whereby they could see the purport of their confessions, and that their sins were lifted from their shoulders and loaded upon some cursed object, so he chose an animal—a sacrifice to Jehova; in this instance a kid, which after being burdened with its terrible load, was by the priests cursed and turned loose into the desert and to perdition.

Though very primitive, this purging of sins is in purport and principle the same as the confession of sins of to-day, the forerunner and origin of which it was. Long ages and their civilizing influence have merely wrought a change more appropriate to civilized, mentally more elevated, thoughtful, minds.

OBSERVANCE OF THE DAY.

Denuded from its antiquated ceremonials and customs, the observance of the day is almost like it was thousands of years ago. Of course there is no holy temple, no altar of sacrifice with its frankincense and myrrh, no holy of holies with its gorgeously robed high priest and has assistants. But it is picturesque none the less; pleasing to the eye here, awful there, and the impression the service creates is so different from what our daily routine and customes would suggest that upon entering an orthodox synagogue one thinks himself transplanted to some mythical sphere of the long ago.

To begin with, the orthodox Jew spends the entire twenty-four hours from sunset until sunset at prayer in the house of worship, and the ultra orthodox not only remain there all night and all day, but they remain standing on their feet the entire time. The footgear is discarded, and the shrouds and prayer mantle (Tsebrijim and Tallith, both a present to the orthodox bridegroom from his bride on their wedding day) are donned. For on this day above all others the true believer has ever in his mind the "memento mori"—from dust to dust.

PRAYING IN THEIR SHROUDS.

You may well be surprised and awe-struck when, coming in upon the congregation, you behold the hundreds of white-robed, white-capped men, listening breathlessly to the words of the cantor, and many a tearful face is uplifted in supplication to Jehova, when to the almost thundering tones of organ and choir the "Kol Nidreh" rings through the house, or the terrible reminder reaches their ears from the Almenar "On Rosh Hashana thy fate is recorded and on Yom Kippur it is sealed, whether it be life to thee or death, whether a natural death or one by fire, water, famine or war," or when the organ peals forth the "We-anachno Kommu, umishtachevim, umoudim," and all present—once and only once throughout the year, mind you—throw themselves on their knees until their faces touch the floor and until, like a promise of forgiveness and jubilant, the "Lifneh Mehleck" bids them rise, prayer and remorse having gained the victory once more.

Such is the tale of Yom Kippur.

It has long been an open question with the more reformed element among the Jews whether the command to "purge thy soul" means also to do without food and drink for twenty-four hours. There are those nowadays who call it an antiquated ceremonial to do without food, yet by long odds the majority does not allow anything to pass their lips and spend the day in prayer and contrition.

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The Guardian.

FRIDAY OCTOBER 22, 1897

LATE EDITORIAL.

For President 1900,

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN.

WHEN people come 40 miles to trade with Safford merchants it is a pretty good sign of a progressive town.

WITH everything working favorable, it should not be a great while until the coal fields are thrown open to locations.

THE seeing of Indians between here and Clifton is another warning to those compelled to travel that road not to go alone, and to always be prepared.

THE copper mines of Graham county, now in their infancy, will in the near future become as famous producers as those great mines at Clifton and Morenci.

DON'T forget that taxes become delinquent on the third Monday in December. It is easier to pay before they become delinquent than to pay the penalty that attaches afterward.

THE fact that young ladies and gentlemen can now take the course in bookkeeping and stenography at the University free of tuition, will no doubt cause a number of students, as well as those wishing a special course, to avail themselves of these two important professional branches of study.—*Star.*

THE A. & P. railroad company have moved the division from the town of Williams, which practically kills that town for the time being, says the *News*, as about $25,000 was paid out at that place monthly. But Williams will yet come to the front, for all pleasure seekers going to the Grand Canyon will stop there, and it will yet be a great resort.

ANYONE who can read the governor's report of Arizona and then deny Arizona's right to admission to sister hood of states is either blind or biased."—Albuquerque *Democrat.*

No one has ever denied Arizona's right to statehood. They simply keep us out because those in the majority in congress who worship the golden calf want no more broad minded wsetern senators. They know with Arizona and New Mexico as states, silver would be placed where it belongs by the side of gold, and the rights of the masses sacredly guarded.

"THE Prescott *Courier* comes out for home rule in Arizona, that is, the right of the people to elect their own officers and commends Mark Smith's effort to secure the passage of an act of congress to this end. The next delegate to congress from Arizona to ever be re-elected will not only have to make an effort to secure the passage of such a law, but he will have to succeed or there will be no use in his returning to seek the suffrage of our people. Ninety nine voters out of every hundred in Arizona want home rule for the Territory and they are bound to have it. Why not? It is their just right."—*Citizen.*

It certainly is their just right. But will the present congress give it to them? If their just right can be had Mark Smith will get it, but the idea among the eastern gold bugs that the western territories should be kept in a state of bondage, subject to their dictation is so predominant in Congress that the success of this measure will come as a surprise.

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APACHE'S DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Hon. Alfred Ruiz, District Attorney of Apache county, at the recent term of the district court in that county won a great victory for himself and the people of his county. After the passage of the Classification Law placing all county treasurers on a salary, the Apache Board of Supervisors allowed their county treasurer two per cent as tax collector upon all county moneys handled during the years 1895 and 1896, in addition to the fixed salary. Mr. Ruiz brought suit against the treasurer and the county Board to recover this percentage. Messrs Herndon and Norris represented the defendants and after a trial of the case and the submission of the law, judgement was rendered in favor of the county for the percentage amounting to the sum of $1493, with 20 percent thereon as an attorney's fee for which the law provides. Mr Ruiz is a bright young lawyer and the people of Apache county should be proud of him as their district attorney. We congratulate him and his county upon their victory won by his efforts and vigilance.

THE date on which the teachers institute convenes is drawing near. Each teacher in the county will be furnished with the GUARDIAN containing the program, so that they will have ample time for preparation. Every teacher in the county is expected to attend and be prepared to discuss every subject given. The trustees and patrons of the schools should insist on their teachers attending. These institutes are for the benefit of the schools, to build them up and place them upon a higher plane. At the coming institute the teachers will be entertained free of cost by the people of Pima. Arrangements are now being made, so that while the teachers are not engaged in institute work they will have amusements and recreation.

Dr. W. E. Lindley; rear of post office. Office hours from 8 to 10 a. m. 9-17-tf.

Shaw Killed at Last.

At the time that James Shaw gave to Deputy Sheriff Ben Clark the information that led to Black Jack's death it was then predicted that it would only be a matter of time until he would fall a victim to tha revenge of the outlaw's followers. Only a few weeks since an attempt was made to assassinate him by blowing up the house with dynimate in which he was sleeping. Since that time Shaw has been on the trail of the outlaws and they in turn have been after him. In the meantime a portion of the gang has been killed, but Shaw had no hand in the killings. The people at Clifton have been expecting to hear of Shaw's death daily, and it was therefore no surprise when the news reached there that he was probably dead.

Last Thursday Sheriff Birchfield received a telegram from Ben Clark that he had found a portion of Shaw's clothing in the mountains, pierced with bullets, but that no body had been found. But as the gang had sworn to have his life there is little doubt concerning his death.

A Good Line.

The Geronimo, San Carlos and Globe stage line is now owned by J. N. Porter. Mr. Porter has the best equipped line in Arizona. Easy, four-horse stages make the trip between Geronimo and Globe daily, and those traveling over this line are assured a comfortable and quick trip, something rarely found on stage lines.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pneumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by all dealers in medicene.*

Rev. F. W. Downs will preach Sunday evening at 7:30, "Peters' Siftings." All are invited to attend.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisements of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The *Banner of Liberty*, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by all dealers in medicine.*

LIST OF JURYMEN.

Summoned for the October Term of the District Court.

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1 William Asay.
2 C. R. Freeman.
3 W. A. Carter, Sr.
4 George Hormeyer.
5 Miles L. Wood.
6 George B. Gamble.
7 J. B. Quinn.
8 Leonce Fraissinet.
9 James Cromb.
10 J. T. Austin.
11 James M. Larson.
12 Frank Dysart.
13 Thomas Blake.
14 O. C. May.
15 James F. Black.
16 E. F. Leonard.
17 W. B. Fonda.
18 James M. Duke.
19 William Forbes.
20 Frank Richardson.
21 Jake Sollars.

TRIAL JURORS.

1 R. B. Jones,
2 Charles Keeler,
3 William A. Carter,
4 W. B. Foster,
5 John Clay,
6 Oscar Olsen,
7 Austin Evans,
8 John Williams,
9 J. L. Davis,
10 Berry Campbell,
11 D. W. Holladay,
12 Jeremiah Hatch,
13 E. P. Bryce,
14 John Grimes,
15 Robert Herrall,
16 John Hagan,
17 A. W. Chesley,
18 James Nash,
19 E. L. Drew,
20 Alexander C. Hunt,
21 John Filleman,
22 Earnest Everhardy,
23 Daniel Kemp,
24 Thomas Moody,
25 E. L. Dunnagan,
26 Hyrum Brinkerhoff,
27 Isaac Follett,
28 William Stapley,
29 Parley Biglow,
30 Heber Higgins,
31 D. M. Green,
32 John Hill, Jr.,
33 Joseph V. Damron,
34 Curtis Jennings,
35 C. D. Haynie,
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Jas. H. McClure was down from the saw mill last Tuesday. He says they are now making lumber in earnest.

TAX NOTICE.

Office of the treasurer and tax collector of Graham county, Arizona, Solomonville Arizona, Sept. 20, 1897.

To all tax-payers of said county:

Notice is hereby given that the duplicate assessment roll of the county of Graham for the year 1897, is now in my possession for the collection of taxes levied therein. That the said taxes will become delinquent on the third Monday in December, 1897, and that unless paid on that day or prior thereto, five (5) per cent will be added to the amount as a penalty. Said taxes are payable to me at my office in the court house, in the town of Solomonville on any day between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

BURRWELL B. ADAMS,
Treasurer and Ex-Officio Tax Collector, Graham County, Arizona.

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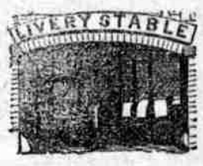

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Homestead No. 1519.

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON ARIZ.
October 2, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court at Solomonville, Ariz., on November 13, 1897, viz:

Joseph M. Robinson, of Thatcher, Graham County, Arizona, for the W ½ of SW ¼, Sec 14, and E ½ of SE ¼ Sec 15, Tp 7, S R 25 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Jacob J. McGuire, Abraham Bowman, William Judd and Isaac P. Robinson, Sr., all of Thatcher, Arizona.

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Benson	4:25 a m	11:30
TUCSON	Lv. 2:25 / Ar. 2:10	Ar. 1:25 / Lv. 1:40
Casa Grand	11:55	4:03
Maricopa	11:12	4:47
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Tues	9:45a	lv.	Los Angeles	ar	8:35a Tues
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Wed	7:15a	ar	Ash Fork	lv	1:35p Mon
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Mon	11:30p	lv.	St. Louis	ar	6:15p Wed
Tues	2:25p	lv	Kansas City	ar	7:00a Wed
Tues	8:50p	lv.	Denver	ar	5:00p Tues
Wed	10:40p	lv.	Albuquerque	ar	10:25p Mon
Thur	6:35	lv.	Holbrook	ar	1:50p Mon
Thur	8:10a	lv.	Winslow	ar	12:05p Mon
Thur	10:50a	lv.	Flagstaff	ar	10:15a Mon
Thur	1:10p	ar	Ash Fork	lv	7:40a Mon

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7:45a	1:15p	Leave Ash Fork Arrive	6:50a	7:30p
8:45a	2:40p	Rock Butte	5:50a	6:20p
9:50a	3:35p	Del Rio	4:50a	4:10p
10:15a	3:50p	Jerome Junction	4:28a	3:50p
	4:45p	Arrive. Prescott. Leave	3:35a	2:10p
12:30a	5:05p	Leave. Prescott. Arrive	2:15a	
	5:41p	Summit	2:12a	
	6:33p			
	6:53p	*Skull Valley	1:34a	
	7:18p	Kirkland	1:07a	
	7:54p	Hillside	12:25a	
	8:53p	Congress Junction	10:43a	
	9:42p	Wickenburg	9:42a	
	10:44p	Vulture	8:10a	
	11:27p	Peoria	7:37a	
	11:39p	Glendale	7:[illegible]a	
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Trains for California leave Ash Fork at 1:35 p. m., arriving in Los Angeles next morning at 8:30 and San Francisco same evening at 6:15. Train for the east leaves Ash Fork at 7:40 a. m.

F. M. MURPHY, Pres't. & Gen. Mg'r. Prescott Arizona
GEO. M. SARGENT, General F. & P. Agt. Prescott Arizona.
R. E. WELLS, Asst Gen. Mg'r. Prescott, Ariz.

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Notice for Publication.

Homestead Entry, No. 1449

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON ARIZ.
October 20th 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court at Solomonville, Arizona, on December 4, 1897, viz:

Patrick Maher, of Fort Grant, Graham county, Arizona, for the Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Sec 22, Tp 9 S., R 23 E, G & S R M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Pedro Michelena, and Albert A Schwerin, of Solomonville, Arizona, and Thomas Bell and Thomas Richards, of Fort Grant, Arizona

EUGENE J. TRIPPEL,
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